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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RCE/ITAL
**PATENT
APPLICATION**

In re: PATENT APPLICATION of:
Abdalla Aly Naem, et al.
10/ 772,863
Series Code ↑ Serial No. ↑

Group Art Unit 2823
Examiner: William M. Brewster
Atty. Dkt. No. 100-19811 P05402-D01-F1
Client Ref

Filed: February 4, 2004
Title: Method Of Forming A MOS Transistor With A Layer
Of Silicon Germanium Carbon (as amended)

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: April 19, 2006

Sir:

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER RULE 114

Please continue the examination of this application.

PREREQUISITES

This application was filed on/after June 8, 1995, is not abandoned, and no court action has been filed, or if filed, it has been terminated.

An issue fee has not been paid (unless a petition under Rule 313(c)(2) is also being filed -- see item 4 below).

Prosecution has been closed as defined in Rule 114(b).

Reply to any outstanding action and Rule 17(e) filing fee must be enclosed

This application is entitled under Rule 114 to withdrawal of any outstanding finality or of any allowance plus a new action by the Examiner. Consideration on the merits of each submission (e.g., IDS, Amendment, new arguments, new evidence, but not appeal/reply briefs themselves) filed herewith is respectfully requested.

Please consider the following before the next Official Action:

1. Please enter do not enter the Amendment filed
2. The enclosed Amendment
3. Consider the arguments in the appeal brief filed _____ and reply brief filed _____
4. The issue fee has been paid, but this RCE is based on Rule 313(c)(2). See enclosed petition.
5. The enclosed Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and one reference.
6. The Enclosed Non-Publish Request.
7. Please suspend action under Rule 103(c) for a period of _____ months (3 mos. Max) for which the required \$130 fee is enclosed
8. A check in the amount of \$790 is enclosed of which \$790 is the required RCE filing fee. (Postcard, fee transmittal (with copy) are also attached.)

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(Atty. Dkt No.) 100-19811

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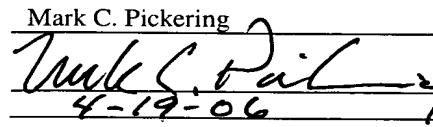
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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

\$790

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. **502305**

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

2. **Payment Enclosed:**

Check Money Order Other

FEES CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE/SEARCH FEE/EXAMINATION FEE

LARGE ENTITY

SMALL ENTITY

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1011/1111/1311	1000	2011/2111/2311	500	Utility	
1012/1112/1312	430	2012/2112/2312	215	Design	
1013/1113/1313	660	2013/2113/2313	330	Plant	
1014/1114/1314	1400	2014/2114/2314	700	Reissue	
1005	200	2005	100	Provisional	
SUBTOTAL (1)					

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	13 - 20 **	= 0	x 50	= \$ 0
Independent	1 - 3	= 0	x 200	= \$ 0
Multiple Dep.		*		= \$ 0

** or number previously paid, if greater; for Reissues, see below:

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	50	2202 25 Claim in excess of 20
1201	200	2201 100 Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	360	2203 180 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	200	2204 100 ** Reissue ind. claims over original patent
1205	50	2205 25 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2)

\$0

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